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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of one month to respond to the Office Action dated January 4, 2005.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Applicant is a small entity.
4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) (1)-(5)):

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
		Fee: \$ 60.00

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5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on May 4, 2005.

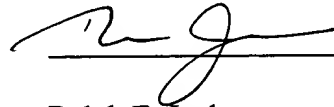
6. Fee Payment

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$60 to Deposit Account No. 10-0637 (Walker & Jocke).

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

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